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Title: **APPLICATOR FOR DISPENSING BIOACTIVE  
COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR USING THE  
SAME**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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